SALE OF FOOD AND DRUGS

The next table sets out, by health districts, the number of samples of milk, food, and drugs taken and dealt with during the year.

Samples of Foods taken and dealt with during the Year ended 31st December, 1945

Milk.

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District.		Number of Samples.	Number of Vendors.	Samples not complying.	Warnings issued.	Prosecutions recommended
North Auckland Central Auckland South Auckland Thames-Tauranga		140 4,116 1,664 92	38 1,816 1,566 57	3 264 80 5	1 127 50	1 5 29
Taranaki East Cape Wellington - Hawke's Bay Central Wellington		$ \begin{array}{r} 261 \\ 325 \\ 1,629 \\ 2,034 \end{array} $	$ \begin{array}{r} 168 \\ 245 \\ 431 \\ 1,226 \end{array} $	16 31 25 16	$\begin{array}{c} 11 \\ 26 \\ 6 \\ 9 \end{array}$	7 4 12 · 2
Nelson-Marlborough Canterbury West Coast Otago Southland		$ \begin{array}{c} 128 \\ 5,093 \\ 207 \\ 1,750 \\ 372 \end{array} $	55 1,367 168 667 186	$egin{array}{c} 3 \\ 807 \\ 13 \\ 253 \\ 47 \\ \end{array}$	186 8 97 25	7 1 2
		17,811	7,990	1,563	546	70
	Other Foods and Drugs.					
District.		Number of Samples.	Number of Vendors.	Samples not complying.	Warnings issued.	Prosecutions recommended
North Auckland Central Auckland South Auckland		111 365 90	79 175 80	2 143 14	$\begin{array}{c}1\\12\\5\end{array}$	1 11
Thames-Tauranga Taranaki East Cape Wellington - Hawke's Bay		$\begin{array}{c} 20 \\ 7 \\ 68 \\ 273 \end{array}$	8 6 68 195	$\begin{array}{c} 15 \\ 4 \\ 12 \\ 15 \end{array}$	1 10 6	i
Central-Wellington Nelson-Marlborough Canterbury		$179 \\ 14 \\ 442$	141 8 225	$\begin{array}{c c} 22 \\ 1 \\ 100 \end{array}$	$6 \\ \\ 45$	2
West Coast Otago Southland		65 373 137	38 238 42	8 14 8	2 1 6	
		2,144	1,303	358	95	16